

THE UNITED STATES JUNIOR CHAMBER® PASSPORT TO LEADERSHIP PROGRAM



The Passport to Leadership Program is designed to help activate your membership. After each degree and phase that is completed your members will be recognized on the national level.

New Members

Upon completion of these tasks in the first 6 months of membership, the member will be recognized as a 3rd Degree:

1. Attend 50 percent of meetings and or Projects conducted while attaining 1st Degree
2. Recite Jaycee Creed
3. Participate in competition or competition training program
4. Recruit at least one new member
5. Serve as an active member on a project
6. Attend a new member orientation
7. Lead chapter in Pledge of Allegiance or Jaycee Creed
8. Write a CPG on a new project

PHASE I / INVOLVEMENT

1st – 3rd Degrees

1st Degree:

1. Attend 50 percent of the chapter's membership meetings/ and or projects conducted while attaining 1st Degree
2. Participate in an individual development project
3. Attend an orientation of chapter, state, and national structure and programs
4. Meet with 1 established/active member outside of a planned Jaycees function
5. Work on a chapter project

2nd Degree:

1. Attend 50 percent of the chapter's membership meetings/ and or projects conducted while attaining 2nd Degree
2. Lead the Junior Chamber chapter in reciting the Jaycee Creed, Pledge of Allegiance, or Invocation
3. Complete 3 optional Involvement Phase tasks

3rd Degree:

1. Attend 50 percent of the chapter's membership meetings/ and or projects conducted while attaining 3rd Degree or attend 3 meetings consecutively
2. Participate in an individual development project
3. Chair or co-chair a chapter project and complete the CPG process
4. Bring a prospective member to a chapter activity
5. Complete 3 optional Involvement Phase tasks that have not yet been completed

INVOLVEMENT OPTIONAL REQUIREMENT:

- I-1. Be able to recite the Jaycee Creed
- I-2. Attend a chapter Chairman's Planning Guide preparation training session, or have a chapter member explain the CPG process.
- I-3. Bring a prospective member to a chapter activity project
- I-4. Be an active committee member on a chapter project
- I-5. Attend a civic organization, local government, religious, or school board meeting with another Jaycee and report to the chapter
- I-6. Recruit one new member. Make sure he or she completes a Member Survey and is enrolled into the Passport to Leadership program
- I-7. Participate in a chapter Ways and Means or fundraising project
- I-8. Recruit a member
- I-9. Attend a chapter Board of Director meeting

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- I-10. Participate in a competition
- I-11. Attend a district, region, state or national training program

PHASE II / EXPERIENCE

4th - 6th Degrees

4th Degree:

1. Attend 50 percent of the chapter's membership meetings/ and or projects conducted while attaining 4th Degree or attend 4 meetings consecutively
2. Chair a project and CPG must be provided
3. Lead a chapter training program
4. Conduct an orientation, either with a group or one-on-one
5. Recruit one new member. Make sure he or she completes a Member Survey and is enrolled into the Passport to Leadership program
6. Complete 3 optional Experience Phase tasks

5th Degree:

1. Attend 50 percent of the chapter's membership meetings/ and or projects conducted while attaining 5th Degree or attend 5 meetings consecutively
2. Participate in an individual development project.
3. Participate in a district, region, state or national competition
4. Visit an activity of another chapter.
5. Complete 3 optional Experience Phase tasks that have not yet been completed

6th Degree:

1. Attend 50 percent of the chapter's membership meetings/ and or projects conducted while attaining 6th Degree or attend 6 meetings/and or projects consecutively
2. Attend a district, region, state, or national training session, forum, orientation, or meeting.
3. Lead and coordinate a visitation team to another chapter.
4. Chair a chapter project and complete the CPG process, or serve on the chapter's Board of Directors.
5. Complete 2 optional Experience Phase tasks that have not yet been completed

EXPERIENCE OPTIONAL REQUIREMENT:

- E-1. Hold a Board of Directors position
- E-2. Be assigned as mentor to a new member and help them advance two degrees
- E-3. Train in an individual development project.
- E-4. Attend a national convention
- E-5. Attend an international meeting
- E-6. Chair a committee with at least 4 committee members
- E-7. Receive state or national honor award
- E-8. Chair a chapter extension
- E-9. Conduct a television or radio interview that positively reflected the Jaycees
- E-10. Attend a Chamber of Commerce meeting
- E-11. Meet with local politician or business leader regarding Junior Chamber movement
- E-12. Serve on a state committee
- E-13. Participate in chapter plan review meeting or long-term planning meeting

PHASE III / LEADERSHIP

7th - 10th Degrees

7th Degree:

1. Conduct a new-member orientation.
2. Help a Jaycee advance one degree
3. Recruit a new member. Make sure he or she completes a Member Survey and is enrolled into the Passport to Leadership program
4. Complete 2 optional Leadership Phase tasks that have not yet been completed

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8th Degree:

1. Organize and participate in a district, region or state training program.
2. Organize a chapter Ways and Means or fundraising project
3. Complete 2 optional Leadership Phase tasks that have not yet been completed

9th Degree:

1. Assist a new committee chairperson to complete the CPG process
2. Help a Jaycee advance one degree 3. Recruit one new member. Make sure he or she completes a Member Survey and is enrolled into the Passport to Leadership program
3. Complete 2 optional Leadership Phase tasks that have not yet been completed

10th Degree

1. Conduct a training program revolving around the Junior Chamber Areas of Opportunity OR conduct a recruiting training program
2. Recruit one new member. Make sure he or she completes a Member Survey and is enrolled into the Passport to Leadership program
3. Complete 2 optional Leadership Phase tasks that have not yet been completed

LEADERSHIP OPTIONAL REQUIREMENT:

7th - 10th Degrees:

- L-1. Apply as a member of the Leadership Academy
- L-2. Advise a project committee
- L-3. Conduct a chapter training program.
- L-4. Attend a future officers' training program and run for office
- L-5. Help a Jaycee advance one degree
- L-6. Conduct a community Service/fundraising project
- L-7. Serve on the chapter's Board of Directors
- L-8. Complete term as a District Director, Region Director, state Program Manager, State Chairperson, or a state office not previously held
- L-9. Serve on the chapter's election committee
- L-10. Participate in a statewide community service/fundraising program
- L-11. Participate in a statewide individual development program
- L-12. Assist in preparing the chapter's annual report
- L-13. Win local, district, region, state, or national competition
- L-14. Serve as a judge for local, district, region, state, or national competition
- L-15. Write an article for publication in a chapter, district, region, state newsletter or newspaper
- L-16. Conduct chapter plan evaluation review
- L-17. Visit another states event